the certificate, under seal, of the Treasurer of said Company, countersigned by the State Directors thereof, and that this Act shall take effect from the day of its passage.

Approved March 20, 1868.

CHAPTER 150.

AN ACT to incorporate the Southern Maryland Railroad Company.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly Title. of Maryland, That a corporation be, and is hereby created and chartered by the name of the Southern Maryland Railroad Company, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and working a railroad from some point in Prince George's County to Point Lookout.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That the capital stock Capital stock. of said corporation shall be not less than one million dollars nor more than four million dollar, divided into shares of one hundred dollars each.

Sec. 3. And be it enacted, That William B. Hill, Incorporation Charles Clagett, John D. Bowling, William B. Bowie, Isaac M. Denson, Johns Hopkins, Dr. W. W. Watkins, Galloway Cheston, Robert Fowler, Walter Mitchell, John Hamilton, Thos. T. Gardiner, P. A. Sasscer, D. Wm. Boarman, Theophilus Harrison, John Parsons, Jno. B. Abell, G. Fred. Maddox, Thomas O. Spencer, Jno. M. Brown and John A. Dunbar are hereby appointed Commissioners to open books and receive subscriptions for said capital stock at such time and times and place or places as they shall deem proper. majority of them shall have power to act; they may fill vacancies, occurring in their own body by death, resignation or otherwise; they may appoint persons to superintend the receiving of subscrip- Vacancy. tions and to receive money payable thereon; may